

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
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MDL NO. 2804

Case No. 17-MD-2804

Judge Dan Aaron Polster

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**MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE MOTION TO APPOINT
SCOTT BICKFORD, ESQ. AS NAS BABY LIAISON**

Plaintiffs move the Court for leave to file a motion to appoint Scott Bickford, Esq as NAS Baby Liaison counsel. Recent events have demonstrated that the NAS Babies have an acute need for a “seat at the table” as set forth in their proposed memorandum.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiffs pray that their motion is granted.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 23rd day of July, 2019, a copy of the above and foregoing has been electronically filed with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system, which provides an electronic service notification to all counsel of record registered as CM/ECF users.

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